

*Optional Services
that could be
funded by the
Community
Options Program:*

- Adaptive Equipment
- Adult Day Care
- Case Management
- Chore Service
- Community Based Residential Facilities (CBRF)
- Durable Medical Equipment
- Home Delivered Meals
- Home Health Aides
- Homemakers
- Home Modifications
- Lifeline
- Ramps
- Respite
- Skilled Nursing Services
- Supported Employment
- Transportation



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What is the Community Options Program?

The Community Option Program (COP) offers alternatives and options to the elderly and disabled individuals with long-term care needs to remain in their home or community with supportive services.

The program provides services enabling the individual to remain in their own home for as long as possible. If needed, this program will also assist in making arrangements to enter a nursing home or other care facility.



WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

Persons, regardless of age, may be eligible for the COP program if they:

- Are a resident of Green Lake County **and**
- Are seeking, are about to be admitted, or are referred to a nursing home, or any long term facility **and**
- Have a long term irreversible illness or disability requiring some kind of ongoing assistance **and**
- require some form of medical, restorative or rehabilitative care **or**
- Wish to have help in assessing their needs and to learn about available services that would assist them to remain in or return to their own home.

INDIVIDUAL ASSESSMENT

An assessment will be completed by a professional staff member to evaluate needs and capabilities of the individual. This will include an interview and an examination of medical, personal, and financial information. This process will identify a person's specific needs and the resources and services available to meet those needs.

There is no charge for an assessment.

Application Process

1. Request an assessment with the COP Coordinator at Green Lake County Department of Health and Human Services
2. Help assessor gather information

Funding

While there is no charge for an assessment, there may be charges for part or all necessary home care services.

The assets and income of an eligible person will be considered in determining the amount, if any, that person would be responsible to pay for home care services.

The Community Option Program has funds available to assist eligible individuals who meet medical and financial criteria. There is a waiting list for such assistance. Contact the COP Coordinator for information on expected time for that waiting list.